

**HOWARD COUNTY
SMALL BUSINESS
COMMERCIAL RECYCLING PERMIT APPLICATION**

Alpha Ridge Landfill Convenience Center
2350 Marriottsville Rd., Marriottsville MD 21104
Monday – Saturday, 8 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
410-313-6444
www.HowardCountyRecycles.org

Business Name: _____

Business Address: _____

Business Telephone Number: _____

Business Email Address: _____

Type of Business: _____

Application Date: _____

The company must complete an annual application at the gatehouse. One Commercial Recycling permit will be issued per organization; permits are valid July 1st - June 30th. Permits are transferable between employees of the same organization, but are not transferable between organizations.

I understand that only those items listed on the reverse will be accepted, that material must have originated from a location within Howard County, and that landfill staff may inspect the vehicle load for items ineligible for disposal under this permit. There may be a charge to dispose of such materials (i.e. trash, mattresses, roofing shingles, carpet, appliances with refrigerant, C+D debris, or tires). Landfill staff will direct the vehicle to the location where the material is to be unloaded at the Residents' Convenience Center.

I, the undersigned, certify that I have read and fully comprehend this application in its entirety and that the information herein provided is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I further agree to abide by the Landfill Usage Rules, and agree to pay all landfill charges in accordance with the current landfill fee schedule. I understand that should any statement I have made prove to be false, misleading or erroneous, it may result in my being banned from future use of the Residents' Convenience Center.

Authorized Signature

Position with Firm

TYPES OF MATERIAL ACCEPTED UNDER THIS PERMIT INCLUDE:

SINGLE STREAM RECYCLABLES – Place these items in the large, labeled, blue compactors

- PAPER:** Newspapers, magazines, catalogs, telephone books, junk mail, office paper, bagged shredded paper, hard and soft cover books, food/snack boxes, drink boxes and milk cartons. **NO** paper towels or soiled paper products.
- PLASTICS:** Plastic bottles, tubs, jars & trays, flower pots and bundled plastic bags. **NO** motor oil bottles or Styrofoam™.
- METAL CANS:** Beverage & food cans, pet food cans, **EMPTY** aerosol cans, aluminum foil and foil bakeware. **NO** beach/lawn chairs, pots/pans, or propane cylinders and scrap metal (see below).
- GLASS BOTTLES/JARS:** Any color glass bottles and jars. **NO** china, ceramics, windows, mirrors, Pyrex, drinking glasses or pottery.

BUILDING MATERIALS: Usable lumber, drywall, banisters, cabinets, countertops, doors, hardware, lighting or plumbing fixtures, windows, shelving. All items ***must*** be suitable for reuse.

CARDBOARD: Flatten and place in designated cardboard container. **NO** Styrofoam™ or waxed, dirty or grease contaminated material.

ELECTRONICS: Processors, keyboards, printers, cords, computer accessories, circuit boards, monitors or TVs, cell phones, pagers, cameras, radios/stereos, VCR/DVD players, scanners, laptops, CD players. **MAXIMUM 10 ITEMS PER DAY.**

MIXED RIGID PLASTICS: Buckets, milk/soda crates, lawn furniture, landscape trays, totes, drums, toys and playhouses, pet carriers, pallets, coolers, storage containers, flower pots, garbage cans, 5-gallon water bottles, computer housing (no circuits), automotive plastics (bumpers, bed liners, grills, head/rear lights, hub caps). **NO** PVC pipe/tubing, vinyl siding, plastic medical waste, plastic contaminated by petroleum products or hazardous waste.

MOTOR BATTERIES: Any size lead acid or wet cell batteries for auto, boat and motorcycles. **NO** dry cell batteries such as alkaline or rechargeable.

STYROFOAM™: White foam packaging, clean drinking cups, trays and food containers, egg cartons (all colors). Items must be marked with the number “6” in the recycling symbol. **NO** foam packing peanuts (accepted at many retail shipping centers), straws, lids, tape or stickers, foam insulation materials, clamshell or non-foam #6 containers.

POLYURETHANE FOAM: Foam and rebond (multi-color) carpet padding, foam mattresses, cushions, and packaging. **NO** brown jute or synthetic gray carpet padding, spring mattresses, Styrofoam™ or rigid foam.

SCRAP METAL: Auto parts, power equipment, furniture, appliances* (doors removed) and other items made up of at least 20% metal. Mowers must be drained of fuel and oil. Appliances with refrigerant - \$10 each. **NO** fence rolls, batteries, wire or cable of any sort. *Appliances must be placed in designated area.

TEXTILES & SHOES: Old clothing, textiles and paired shoes. All items must be dry and clean.